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Office of Special Nutritionals
Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition
Food and Drug Administration
200 "C" St. S.W. (HFS-450)
Washington, D.C. 20204



Dear Dr. Kahl:

Murdock Madaus Schwabe Professional Products, Inc. wishes to notify the Food and Drug Administration that it has, within the past 30 days, commenced marketing a dietary supplement which bears a statement under Section 403(r)(6) of the Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act.

The dietary supplement for which the statement is made is EPA Pro. The dietary ingredient that is the subject of the statement is Fish Oil. The statement reads as follows:

"Provides Omega-3 fatty acids and helps maintain normal prostaglandin production. The EPO and DHA Omega-3 fatty acids found in cold water fish oil are metabolic steps in the conversion of linolenic acid (an essential fatty acid) to prostaglandins of the PG3 family. PG3 prostaglandins help reduce platelet aggregation or blood clotting."

This statement is accompanied by the required disclaimer which is prominently displayed in bold-faced type.

The information contained in this notice is complete and accurate and the above statement is based on data which renders these statements substantiated, truthful and non-misleading.

Sincerely,

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